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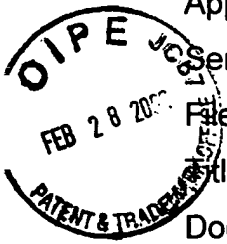
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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated 28 August 2002, Applicant submits the following:

1. Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116;
2. Notice of Appeal;
- ✓ 3. Formal drawings (4 sheets);
4. Letter to the Official Draftsperson;
5. Request for Extension of Time for 3 months under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a);
6. Check for \$1250.00 (\$930.00 to cover request for three month extension of time to respond for a large entity and \$320.00 for Notice of Appeal for a large entity; and
7. Return Postcard.

The Commissioner is requested to charge any additional fees, or credit any refunds, to Deposit Acc't No. 03-0678.

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ATT: OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

**LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON**

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In response to the Office Action, dated 28 August 2002, Applicant submits the enclosed 4 sheets of formal drawings. These have been corrected to remove the formal deficiencies noted by the Official Draftsperson in the Drawing Review dated 18 December 2001. Only formal changes have been made. For Figures 3 and 4, photographs have been suitably mounted in place of the photocopies photographs originally filed. No new matter has been added.

This paper is accompanied by a Request for a Three Month Extension of Time to Respond and includes the required fee paid by check.

No additional fees are believed due. The Commissioner is requested to charge any additional fees, or credit any refunds, to Deposit Acc't No. 03-0678.

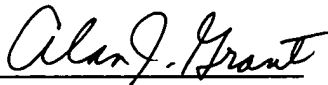
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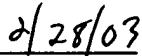
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